

**NOAA Women's History Month Training Conference**  
**“Women Change America”**  
**March 29, 2005**

**DAY ONE**

**FOCUS: *Celebrate, Embrace and Impact Change***

7:45 am	Registration, Continental Breakfast
8:30 - 10:00 am	Mistress of Ceremonies- <b>Alfreda Alexander, NESDIS</b> -Posting of Armed Forces Colors -Pledge of Allegiance/National Anthem - <b>Joseph Brown, OAR</b>  <u>Welcome from:</u> <b>Louisa Koch, Deputy Assistant Administrator, OAR</b> <b>Colleen Hartman, Deputy Assistant Administrator, NESDIS</b> <b>John Jones, Deputy Assistant Administrator, NWS</b>  Introduction of Keynote Speaker: <b>Alfreda Alexander</b> Keynote Speaker: <b>Susan Sutherland, Director, MASC, OFA</b>
10:00 - 10:15 am	<b>BREAK</b>  Presenter: <b>Susan Robison, President, BossWoman “Change &amp; Transitions”</b> Presenter: <b>Dr. Andrea Pennington, President, Pennington Institute for Health &amp; Wellness, “Reclaim Wellness”</b>
12:15 - 12:45 pm	<b>LUNCH</b>
12:45 - 1:45 pm	Luncheon Speaker: <b>Vice Admiral Conrad Lautenbacher</b>
2:00 - 3:00 pm	Presenter: <b>Lucinda Yates, CEO &amp; President, “Designs by Lucinda,” “Changing the World One Choice at a Time”</b>
3:00 - 3:15 pm	<b>BREAK</b>
3:15 - 4:15 pm	Presenter: <b>Ivy Washington, NOAA Training Officer, “Individual Development Plan Seminar”</b>
	<b>Closing</b>

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7:45 am	Registration, Continental Breakfast
8:15 - 10:00 am	Mistress of Ceremonies - <b>Wendy Goo, NMFS</b> -Recap of Day One  <u>Welcome from:</u> <b>John Oliver, Deputy Assistant Administrator, NMFS</b> <b>Jack Hayes, Deputy Assistant Administrator, NOS</b> <b>Al Corea - Director, NOAA Office of Civil Rights</b>
8:45 – 9:15 am	Introduction of Keynote Speaker: Wendy Goo Keynote Speaker: <b>Mary Langlais, Senior Executive Officer, Smithsonian Institution</b>
9:15 – 9:30 am	<b>BREAK</b>
9:30 – 11:00 am	Presenter: <b>Chris McCloskey, Dale Carnegie Training, “Develop the Confidence to Lead!”</b>
11:15am – 12:15pm	Presenter: <b>Mary Grate-Pyos, President, Financially Focused Inc., “Let’s Get Financially Focused”</b>
12:15 - 12:45 pm	<b>LUNCH</b>
12:45 - 1:45 pm	Luncheon Speaker: <b>Cheryl Martin (Former News Anchor)</b>
2:00 - 3:00 pm	Presenter: <b>Cheryl Martin – “Making It In The Marketplace”</b>
3:00 - 3:15 pm	<b>BREAK</b>
3:15 - 4:15 pm	Presenter: <b>Eduardo Ribas, Director, Workforce Management Office</b> <b>Helen Powell, NOAA Federal Women Program Manager</b> <b>Milton Hall, Worklife Center</b>
	<b>Closing</b>